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Personal Statement

An experienced web and software developer who likes to be at the forefront of the latest technologies. I also bring a highly useful combination of competent technical ability and communication skills that will be of benefit to any development team.

Key Skills

- Author of HTML5 Multimedia: Develop and Design (ISBN 0321793935) published by Peachpit Press
- Frontend development in HTML5, CSS3, HTML 4.01, CSS2.1, JavaScript, jQuery
- Backend development in C#, VB.NET, PHP, MySql, SQLServer
- Occasional writer for PC Pro and HTML5 Doctor on web development and HTML5
- Curator for the HTML5 Gallery website
- Experience with Apache, SQLServer 2005/8, IIS 6 and 7
- Web graphic design with Photoshop
- Basic German and Spanish

Career History

Sep 2010 – Present

Web Developer – Isle Interactive Ltd.

Using a mixture of HTML, CSS, .NET (C# and VB.NET), SQL, ASP, and PHP developing and maintaining websites for new and existing clients.

Dec 2008 – Sep 2010

Web Application Developer – Information Transfer LLP

Developing web-based eLearning services and products. Specifying and planning new features, developing web applications in ASP.NET (C# and VB) and SQL Server, HTML, CSS, JavaScript (incl. jQuery) web product maintenance and bug fixing.

Jul 2007 – Nov 2008: Left this role due to redundancy

Consultant – Sagentia Ltd.

Working within the Managed Services team in conjunction with Vodafone on M-PESA (mobile payment solution that enables customers to complete simple financial transactions by mobile phone)

- Managing operational support requests, ensuring that customer requests for changes are logged and processed

- Working as part of the QA test team, writing test specifications and test cases for new product features from existing functional specifications
- Generating weekly reports for distribution to customers
- Part of 24/7 on-call team dealing with and co-ordinating resolutions to customer support issues

Jan 2007 – May 2007: Left this role due to redundancy

IVR/Project Manager – Play to Win TV Ltd.

Managing IT projects such as a TV studio move, looking after the IVR related software and hardware within the studio and supporting internal IT infrastructure and providing PC support.

Jan 2005 – Jan 2007: Left this role for a different challenge

Web Developer – Jagex Ltd.

Developing web modules to support the MMORPG RuneScape. Written in Java using a combination of HTML, CSS, JavaScript, MySql and an in-house PHP-like language. Sole developer on

- news module to allow the posting and display of news items on the main site
- create module to enable users to create new accounts. This module had to maintain a copy of all user names in memory to quick checking on creation.
- offence system which consisted of 3 separate modules which was used to punish wayward game players by adding offences to their accounts and automatically issuing punishments.

December 2004: One-month contract

Senior Consultant – Tangent Telecom Ltd.

Short-term contract to produce a detailed specification of a DTMF (touch-tone) application.

July 1998 – July 2004: Left this role due to redundancy

Senior Software Engineer – Vocalis/Fluency Voice Technology Ltd.

Design and development of IVR (both touch-tone and speech recognition) solutions in C, Java and Envoy, to telecom and utility companies. Customer site visits for requirements gathering meetings and system installation. Developing and supporting Vocalis' signalling platform for SS#7 protocols such as INAP, ISUP and DPNSS.

Education

2001 – A Grade in GCSE German evening class

1998 – BSc (Hons 2.2) in Computer Systems – University of Limerick

1994 – Irish Leaving Certificate (A-Levels) – 5 honours

References

References available on request.